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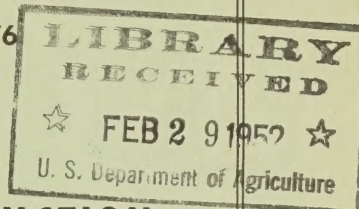


# Sherman Orchid Gardens

GRAND AVE. AT GLADSTONE • GLENDORA, CALIF.

(1 Mile South of Highway 66 on Grand Ave.)

Phone Fleetwood 2-2676



## ORCHIDS OF QUALITY AND DISTINCTION

WE TAKE GREAT PLEASURE in presenting this new offering of select Cymbidium hybrids. Our stock of fine stud plants is most extensive and includes the finest proven and prize winning varieties which have been developed thus far. The crosses listed here are the result of long range planning and observation, with plant vigor, and free flowering characteristics as well as high flower quality being carefully considered. This is without doubt the finest group of young plants we have ever offered, and we are confident that the high quality and proven worth of the fine parents will assure optimum results.

With the rapidly growing demand for high quality GREEN CYMBIDIUMS, this list offers unusual opportunity to acquire a well rounded and distinguished selection in this exceptionally beautiful color section.

You may order by mail or make your selection at the Nursery — we are open every day including Sunday.

All of the plants listed in this offering are sturdy pot grown plants — healthy and well rooted.

*The prize winners of tomorrow will come from the  
fine seedlings of today.*

# UNFLOWERED CYNBIDIUM SEEDLINGS

List #21

## SIZES AND PRICES

Cross No.

(E) L15 BUTTERFLY X TRACYANUM

The purpose here was to obtain an early flowering hybrid of good constitution. The Butterfly used is much above average, and exceptionally strong flowering.....

4"-7"	8"-12"	13"-18"	FIRST BULB & GROWTH	APPROACHING FLOWERING SIZE	FLOWERING SIZE
*	*	*	*	\$12.50	\$18.00

L19 CAVALIER (ADELMA Var. GOLDCREST X SICILY FINE)

A beautiful golden yellow, very free flowering, combined with a large heavy green. "Yellows" and "greens" should of course predominate, with flowers of large size and good texture expected.....

*	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$7.50	*	18.00
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L21 JOCOSITY (CURLEW Var. SUNRISE X LOWIO-GRANDIFLORUM WESTONBIRT Var. F.C.C.-R.H.S.)

A class cross. Two fine parents in a combination which should produce large heavy textured flowers in fine shades of green and yellow.....

*	3.00	5.00	7.50	*	*
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(E) L23 ERICA SANDER Var. PROFUSION X ROSEFIELDENSE

Our plan here was to produce a prolific early flowering hybrid of quality. The parents used will, we believe, insure the success of our aim. The pod parent, Erica Sander Var. Profusion, produces long spikes bearing up to 35 fine greenish yellow flowers, while the Rosefieldense, another green, is very early and is also vigorous and free flowering. This should prove to be a most profitable early cut flower hybrid.....

\$2.00	3.00	5.00	7.50	12.50	*
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L25 FLORYII, FINE X PEARL Var. MAGNIFICUM, F.C.C.-R.H.S.

A very lovely green of large size combined with the rich golden yellow and red banded lip of Pearl Var. Magnificum. Fine quality yellows and greens should result.....

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(E) L27 PEARL Var. MASTIFF X ROSEFIELDENSE

Here again we have combined two green varieties of merit. The first parent is well known to cymbidium fanciers and the Rosefieldense is vigorous, free flowering, and is also early.....

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L47 MINIVET, FINE X BODMIN MOOR, FINE

This grand cross is very highly regarded here at the Nursery with many fine things expected. The pod parent is a beautiful clear yellow of strong constitution and the Bodmin Moor is a massive white of fine form and heavy texture with a red band on the lip. Fine whites with good colored lips should predominate with yellows and pinks also expected.....

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L57 BEATRICE Var. SUPERBA X BLUESMOKE Var. MANDARIN

A fine golden bronze type, very free flowering combined with an extra fine large green. Both of these parents have good red banded lips and many fine things are assured.....

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L59 INTERNATIONAL FINE X LOWIANUM CONCOLOR.

Both of these parents are in the green class, with the first named being an exceptionally strong grower. The "Concolor" parent is expected to contribute a good percentage of fine Chartreuse varieties with beautiful lip colouring.....

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L62 INTERNATIONAL FINE X BLUESMOKE Var. MANDARIN

Here again two fine quality green parents were used. Both have red banded lip markings and produce flowers of good heavy texture on fine spikes. High production and fine quality are combined.....

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L63 PLOVER (PAUWELSII Var. THE KING, A.M.-R.H.S. X LOWIOGRANDIFLORUM, WESTONBIRT Var. F.C.C.-R.H.S.)

Remake of a well known cross using internationally recognized parents of quality and proven ability; colours will probably range from yellow through deep green and bronze with well marked lips. Should be strong growing and free flowering.....

2.00	3.00	*	*	*	*
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Varieties marked (E) are expected to be EARLY FLOWERING

Yellow, gold and bronze tones should predominate here with many beautiful combinations expected. The free flowering characteristics of the Beatrice parent are well known and it has produced hybrids of great beauty and quality .....

2.00      3.00      \*      \*      \*      \*

The rich golden yellow of the first parent combined with our finest green variety is expected to produce many richly coloured types with fine lip markings and strong heavy texture .....

\* 3.00 \* \* \*

Again we have used the fine International parent which is noteworthy for its substantial flower production and is one of our most vigorous growers as well. The combination here with the yellow and green tones of the first parent should produce many worthwhile varieties.....

2.00      3.00      \*      \*      \*      \*

Lovely and varying shades of green, chartreuse and some bronze varieties are expected from this cross. This well known and proven variety of *Pauwelsii* can be counted on to give vigor and good flower spikes.

2.00      3.00      \*      \*      \*      \*

Golden bronze, yellow and green in a delightful combination which is sure to produce many exciting new shades and colors. These should be strong growers and excellent producers

2.00      3.00      \*      \*      \*      \*

With **each** 10 seedlings purchased we will include one free, or on volume seedling orders the following discounts will be granted:

on \$150 or over.....	20% discount
\$300 or over.....	25% discount
\$750 or over.....	30% discount

All plants are offered subject to prior sale and prices are subject to change without notice. This list cancels all previous lists and special quotations on seedlings. Payment should accompany order and all California purchasers should add 3% State Sales Tax. All orders are packed free of charge and unless specific shipping instructions are furnished we will forward by Railway or Air Express collect, depending upon conditions. We suggest that we be permitted to substitute sizes of plants when this is necessary to complete your order.

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*Sherman Orchid Gardens*

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GLEN DORA, CALIF.

**Fleetwood 2-2676**

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DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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NEW SEEDLINGS  
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Glendora, California

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GLEN DORA, CALIF.

### MATURE PLANTS AND PROPAGATIONS

Our stock of top quality Cymbidiums is well known to those who have visited the Nursery, and many fine exhibition and stud varieties are available for the discriminating Orchid fancier, and for the hybridizer. Among these are varieties which have won the highest awards wherever fine orchids have been exhibited, and whose progeny are setting new standards and winning new honors today.

Many of these world famous plants can be seen in bloom during the flowering season and you are cordially invited to visit the Nursery when in our vicinity.

Because of the great number of varieties which would have to be included, we do not publish a catalog or listing of our mature plants and propagations, but invite your inquiry for specific varieties or types, either for exhibition or stud varieties. We will also be glad to suggest individual plants or groups in any requested price range.

### ORCHID BOOKS

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